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TAGS: OEXC, RO (FOSTER, PAUL)

SUBJECT: STAG PAUL FOSTER

1. FOSTER DEPARTED POST FEBRUARY 12 AFTER EXTENSIVE THREE-DAY SCHEDULE WHICH SERVED PURPOSE OF FURTHER IDENTIFYING U.S. PRESENCE HERE WITH SUBTLE POLITICAL THEMES OF REMARKABLY SUCCESSFUL ROMANIAN PRODUCTION OF HIS PLAY "ELIZABETH I". DETAILS AND OUR ASSESSMENT OF IMPACT OF FOSTER VISIT WILL BE SUBJECT FORTHCOMING AIRGRAM. HIGHLIGHTS, HOWEVER, INCLUDED AMERICAN LIBRARY ROUNDTABLE FEBRUARY 10 WITH "ELIZABETH" CAST WHICH DREW AUDIENCE OF 250 (NORMAL AUDITORIUM CAPACITY IS 125) AND DISCUSSION WITH SMALL GROUP OF ROMANIAN DRAMATISTS FOLLOWING DAY SPONSORED BY UNION OF WRITERS WHICH EVOLVED INTO STARTLING PUBLIC SESSION OF PSYCHIC CATHARSIS.

2. IN OUR VIEW, IT WILL BE DIFFICULT FOR FORTHCOMING STAG VISITORS TO EXCEED STANDARD SET BY FOSTER'S TOTAL COMMITMENT TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF HIS PROGRAM HERE. IN ADDITION, HIS COMBINATION OF AN INTELLECTUAL APPROACH TO HIS CRAFT WITH A CASUAL INFORMAL STYLE OF PRESENTATION MAKE HIM AN UNUSUALLY EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATOR OF IDEAS. WE BELIEVE FOSTER'S VISIT TO REPRESENT ONE OF THE POST'S  
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